

Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1. (Currently Amended) A scanning device comprising:
a shell;
a driving module;
an image capturing module, driven by said driving module for capturing an image of a document, further transforming said image to digital signal; ~~and~~
a fixed masking module[,], fixedly mounted inside the shell for obstructing a light path[,], and having a cover inside said shell, an opening formed on said cover for allowing said fixed masking module to be inserted into said image capturing module from said opening of said cover, in order to obstruct said light path,
wherein said image capturing module is moved by said driving module to a predetermined position where said fixed ~~masking~~ masking module is mounted, for obstructing said light path, thus black calibration is conducted.
2. (Original) The scanning device of claim 1, wherein said shell comprises a transparent window, positioned at an end of said shell for placing said document.
3. (Original) The scanning device of claim 2, wherein said transparent windows is a glass plate.
4. (Original) The scanning device of claim 1, wherein said driving module comprises:
an actuator, positioned at one side of said driving module, for providing a driving force; and
a guiding rod, mounted inside the shell for guiding said image capturing module.
5. (Original) The scanning device of claim 4, wherein said actuator is a motor.
6. (Original) The scanning device of claim 1, wherein said image capturing module comprises:
a light source for propagating light; and
an image sensing element for capturing said image and transforming said image into

digital signals.

7. (Original) The scanning device of claim 6, wherein said image sensing element is a charged-couple device (CCD).

8. (Cancelled)

9. (Original) The scanning device of claim 1, wherein said fixed masking module comprises a mask, mounted at a predetermined position, parallel to the movement of said image capturing module for obstructing said light path.

10. (Cancelled)

11. (Original) The scanning device of claim 9, wherein said mask is not transparent.

12. (Cancelled)

13. (Cancelled)

14. (Cancelled)